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SECTION 1. INTRODUCTION

1.1. INTRODUCING FEDERAL OFFSET

The Federal Offset Subsystem within the Debt Management and Collections System (DMCS) provides on-line access to information about accounts and account owners (subagencies) currently in the Federal Offset process.

The Department of Education (ED) determines user authorization for accessing, viewing, and managing account and subagency information. There are three Federal Offset screens:

- o I100 Federal Offset Account Information Screen
- o I110 Federal Offset Subagency File Maintenance Screen
- o I120 Federal Offset Special Assignment Maintenance Screen

View-only users can look up account and related debt information through screen I100. Through this same screen, Super Users can manage offset accounts by removing an account or specific account debt from offset status.

Screen I110 provides view-only users access to subagency address, telephone numbers, guaranty agency (GA) code, and tape density. Through I110, Super Users can add and maintain subagency and local code information including name, address, telephone numbers, GA code, and tape density. Local codes are used by subagencies with multiple locations.

Through screen I120, view-only users can display information on the status of accounts requested through the GA Special Assignment process. Super Users can approve a GA reason for non-assignment of an account.

1.2. REFERENCES

- o Contract #PM920010-01
- o Task Order #13, Module 1
- o Task Order #32
- o GPCC #970198

- o Task Order #43 and Task Order #26, Module 4
- o GPCC #010210

1.3. USING THIS MANUAL

1.3.1. Structure

This document is organized as follows:

Section 1	This section introduces three Federal Offset screens, explains how the keyboard functions, and how to access the screens.
Section 2	This section provides detailed instructions for using the screens.
Appendix A	This section is an alphabetical listing of error messages and resolutions/explanations.
Appendix B	This section provides GA codes for the United States and foreign countries.
Appendix C	This section includes a current copy of the Integrated Data Dictionary (IDD) Record Report. The IDD contains field names, descriptions, values and data base sources.

1.3.2. Keyboard Notes

In addition to the standard keys, the following **[PF]** keys have functions specific to this subsystem.

[PF3]	DMCS MAIN MENU. Use this key to return to the main system menu. Note: The menu displayed depends on user authorization.
[PF4]	This key cancels updates the user has entered in the I110 and I120 Screens.
[PF5]	In screen I100, use this key to display information on ED-held certified debts or the individual's account status information, and to change the removal reason. In Screens I100 and I110, use this key

to make further changes to the information entered on the screen.

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FEDERAL OFFSET

[PF6]	This key cancels updates the user has entered in the I100 Screen.
[PF7]	Use this key in Screen I100 to display offsets for Guaranty Agency certified accounts, beginning with process year 2000.
[PF8]	SCROLLING: Use this key in Screen I100 to scroll forward through the individual's debt information. It functions only when there are more than four debts.
[PF9]	SCROLLING: Use this key in Screen I100 to move forward through historical information to a more recent year. For example, it enables the user to view 1996 information when the screen displays 1995 information.
[PF10]	SCROLLING: Use this key in Screen I100 to move backward through historical information to an earlier year. For example, it enables the user to view 1996 information when the screen displays 1997 information.
[PF11]	Use this key in Screen I100 to display reversals for Guaranty Agency certified accounts, beginning with process year 2000.
[PF12]	DMCS MAIN MENU: Use this key to return to the main system menu. Note: The menu displayed depends on user authorization.
[PF13]	Use this key to access the I100 Screen from I110 and I120.
[PF14]	Use this key to access the I110 Screen from I100 and I120.
[PF15 - 17]	No current function.
[PF18]	Use this key to access the I100 Screen from the Super User Main Menu.
[PF19]	Use this key to access the I110 screen from the Super User Main Menu.
[PF20 - 24]	No current function.

1.4. ON-LINE STRUCTURE

1.4.1. Federal Offset Screen Functions

The Federal Offset Account Info Screen (I100), Federal Offset Subagency File Maintenance Screen (I110), and Federal Offset Special Assignment Maintenance Screen (I120), are stand-alone functions accessible through selected main menus.

From the main menu, access Federal Offset screens by keying any letter next to one of the Federal Offset screen titles, by entering the valid transaction ID (TRANID) (I100, I110, or I120) between the parentheses in the upper left corner of the screen, or by pressing the designated [PF] key to access appropriate screen. For example, press [PF19] to access the Federal Offset Subagency File Maintenance Screen from the Super User Menu. The [PF] key to be pressed depends on the menu the user accesses.

1.4.2. Accessing Other Screens

After completing a desired function, the user may continue with the current screen, transfer to another screen, or exit the system.

- To continue using the currently accessed screen, key the required access fields and/or change the action code, and press [ENTER].
- o To transfer to another Federal Offset screen, key in the TRANID and press **[ENTER]**.
- o To transfer to another screen within a different subsystem, choose one of the following options:
 - 1. Key in the TRANID of the desired screen and press the **[ENTER]** key.
 - 2. Press [PF3] or [PF12] or key the TRANID "L100" to return to the initial menu.

To select the subsystem menu that contains the desired screen, key any letter next to the desired menu and press the **[ENTER]** key.

After the subsystem menu appears, access the desired screen by choosing one of the following options:

- Press the [**PF**] key associated with the screen.
- Key the TRANID of the desired screen and press [ENTER].
- Key any letter next to the desired screen title and press [ENTER].

1.4.3. Logging Off

To exit the system, press [CLEAR]. When "LOGOFF" appears at the top of the screen, press the [ENTER] key. Note: The user may key the TRANID "L100" over "LOGOFF" and press the [ENTER] key to return to the main menu.

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SECTION 2. FEDERAL OFFSET OPTION

2.1. OPTION 1: I100 - FEDERAL OFFSET ACCOUNT INFO SCREEN

The Federal Offset Account Info Screen provides access to status and debt information for accounts reported to Treasury for Federal Offset. It also allows removal of an account or debt from Federal Offset by users who have authorized access.

```
FEDERAL OFFSET ACCOUNT INFO SCREEN
 I100 )
                                                    ABC.
                                                           MM/DD/YY
                                                           HH:MM
                                    FMS IND: __
                                                   A/I: _
ACCOUNT NUMBER: S999999999 SUBAGENCY:
PROCESS YEAR: YYYY
                              PHONE:
ACTION: (A TO ACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
 (I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
 (D TO REMOVE A DEBT)
                               SUBAGENCY SELECTIONS:
NAME:
DEBT NUMBER:
                                             CERTIFICATION IND:
TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE:
                                              TOP CURRENT BALANCE:
LAST DECREASE DATE:
                                                 DECREASE AMOUNT:
LAST INCREASE DATE:
                                                 INCREASE AMOUNT:
REPLACEMENT DATE:
                                              REPLACEMENT AMOUNT:
REFUND DATE:
                                             ED/GA REFUND AMOUNT:
REVERSAL DATE:
                                             TOP REVERSAL AMOUNT:
OFFSET DATE:
                                              TOP OFFSET AMOUNT:
                          PROCESS DATE:
ENTER ACCOUNT NUMBER AND PROCESS YEAR
```

Actual screen content and available options are determined by user authorization. For view-only access, the <u>ACTION</u> field and action key are not displayed.

2.1.1. View an Account

Users that have view-only status can access only the <u>ACCOUNT NUMBER</u> and <u>PROCESS YEAR</u> fields. Super Users can access the <u>ACTION</u> field.

- 1. Key the account number (Social Security Number) in the <u>ACCOUNT</u> field using the appropriate prefix ("E" or "S") followed by nine numbers. An "S" is displayed on the screen automatically as the first character of the account number. If the account number begins with an "E", key an "E" over the "S".
- 2. Key the processing year. If no year is entered, this screen displays information pertinent to the most recent processing year for which pre-certification account selection has taken place.
- 3. If the <u>ACTION</u> field appears on the screen, leave the field blank to view an account.

```
I100 )
               FEDERAL OFFSET ACCOUNT INFO SCREEN
                                                      ABC
                                                              MM/DD/YY
                                                              HH:MM
ACCOUNT NUMBER: S999999999 SUBAGENCY:
PROCESS YEAR: YYYY LOCAL CODE: 000 PHONE:
          (A TO ACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
ACTION:
  (I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
  (D TO REMOVE A DEBT)
                                SUBAGENCY SELECTIONS:
                                                 CERTIFICATION IND:
TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE:
                                                TOP CURRENT BALANCE:
LAST PAYMENT DATE (SINCE CERTIFICATION):

PAYMENT AMOUNT:
ED/GA REFUND AMOUNT:
                                               TOP REVERSAL AMOUNT:
REVERSAL DATE:
                       PROCESS DATE:
OFFSET DATE:
                                                TOP OFFSET AMOUNT:
                       0 - ACCOUNT NOT SELECTED FOR PRE-CERTIFICATION
PROCESSING
PF10-LAST YEAR 3-EXIT
PF13-I100
                 14-I110
```

4. Press [ENTER].

5. Information pertaining to the certifying agency (subagency) is displayed in the top right portion of the screen. Status information about the account is displayed on the lower half of the screen.

```
I100 )
             FEDERAL OFFSET ACCOUNT INFO SCREEN
                                                            MM/DD/YY
                                                            HH:MM
PROCESS YEAR: YYYY
                      LOCAL CODE: 000 PHONE: (999) 999-9999 LOCAL
ACTION: (A TO ACTIVATE ACCOUNT) (999) 999-9999 INSTATE (I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT) (999) 999-9999 NATIONWIDE
 (I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
 (D TO REMOVE A DEBT)
                           SUBAGENCY SELECTIONS:
CERTIFICATION IND: X
TOP CURRENT BALANCE:$ 9,999.99
TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE: $ 9,999.99
LAST PAYMENT DATE (SINCE CERTIFICATION):6/27/1989 PAYMENT AMOUNT:
              ED/GA REFUND AMOUNT:

TOP REVERSAL AMOUNT:

PROCESS DATE: TOP OFFSET AMOUNT:
REFUND DATE:
                                                                $.00
REVERSAL DATE:
                                                                $.00
                                                                $.00
OFFSET DATE:
                          5 - CERTIFIED FOR OFFSET WITH TREASURY
PF5-VIEW DEBTS 9-NEXT YEAR 3-EXIT
PF13-I100 14-I110
```

6. Press [**PF5**] to move between the display of status and information on affected debts held by ED. No debt information is available for debts held by a GA.

```
I100 )
             FEDERAL OFFSET ACCOUNT INFO SCREEN
                                                      ABC
                                                             MM/DD/YY
                                                             HH:MM
ACCOUNT NUMBER: S999999999
                          SUBAGENCY: 99 XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
                      LOCAL CODE: 000 PHONE: (999) 999-9999 LOCAL
PROCESS YEAR: YYYY
ACTION:
         (A TO ACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
                                              (999) 999-9999 INSTATE
 (I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
                                             (999) 999-9999 NATIONWIDE
 (D TO REMOVE A DEBT)
                             SUBAGENCY SELECTIONS:
CERTIFICATION IND: X
TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE: $ 9,999.99
                                        TOP CURRENT BALANCE:$ 9,999.99
LAST PAYMENT DATE (SINCE CERTIFICATION):6/27/1989 PAYMENT AMOUNT:
                                                                 $.00
                                       ED/GA REFUND AMOUNT:
REFUND DATE:
                                                                 $.00
                                        TOP REVERSAL AMOUNT:
REVERSAL DATE:
                                                                 $.00
                      PROCESS DATE:
OFFSET DATE:
                                         TOP OFFSET AMOUNT:
                                                                 $.00
                          1 - G 9999999 $9,999.99 PRIMARY
PF5-VIEW DEBTS 9-NEXT YEAR 3-EXIT
PF13-I100 14-I110
```

Note: Press the [**PF8**] key to scroll additional debt information if there are more than five debts.

- 7. Press [**PF9**] to move forward through the historical information to a more recent year. For example, to view 1999 information when the screen displays 1998 information, press [**PF9**].
- 8. Press [**PF10**] to move backward through the historical information to an earlier year. For example, to view 1998 information when the screen displays 1999 information, press [**PF10**].
- 9. If an account (Social Security Number) is certified by more than one subagency, the user can view those other subagencies. Up to eight multiple subagencies are displayed in the <u>SUBAGENCY SELECTIONS</u> field.

- 10. The subagency code associated with the information displayed is highlighted. Move the cursor to the desired subagency and press [ENTER]. That subagency's information on the borrower is displayed. No information can be keyed in this field.
- 11. Press [**PF7**] to display offset information for Guaranty Agency (GA) certified accounts, beginning with processing year 2000.

```
FEDERAL OFFSET ACCOUNT INFO SCREEN ABC
( I100 )
                                                         MM/DD/YY
                                                         HH:MM
                                  FMS IND: __ A/I: __
ACCOUNT NUMBER: S999999999 SUBAGENCY:
PROCESS YEAR: YYYY PHONE:
        (A TO ACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
ACTION:
 (I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
                             SUBAGENCY SELECTIONS:
 (D TO REMOVE A DEBT)
NAME:
DEBT NUMBER:
                                            CERTIFICATION IND:
TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE:
                                             TOP CURRENT BALANCE:
LAST DECREASE DATE:
                                              DECREASE AMOUNT:
LAST INCREASE DATE:
                                                 INCREASE AMOUNT:
                                            REPLACEMENT AMOUNT:
REPLACEMENT DATE:
REFUND DATE:
                                           ED/GA REFUND AMOUNT:
                        TOP REVERSAL AMOUNT:
PROCESS DATE: TOP OFFSET AMOUNT:
REVERSAL DATE:
OFFSET DATE:
             CYCLE EFFECTIVE DATE PROCESS DATE OFFSET AMOUNT
            N NNNN MM/DD/YYYY MM/DD/YYYY $9,999.99
PF5-DEBTS 7-STATUS 11-REVERSALS 9-NEXT YEAR 10-LAST YEAR 3-EXIT
PF13-I100 14-I110 15-I120
```

12. Press [**PF11**] to display reversal information for GA certified accounts, beginning with processing year 2000.

```
I100 )
              FEDERAL OFFSET ACCOUNT INFO SCREEN
                                                   ABC
                                                           MM/DD/YY
                                                           HH:MM
                                    FMS IND: __
                                                   A/I: __
ACCOUNT NUMBER: S999999999 SUBAGENCY:
PROCESS YEAR: YYYY
                                      PHONE:
ACTION: (A TO ACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
 (I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
 (D TO REMOVE A DEBT)
                               SUBAGENCY SELECTIONS:
NAME:
                                             CERTIFICATION IND:
DEBT NUMBER:
TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE:
                                              TOP CURRENT BALANCE:
LAST DECREASE DATE:
                                                  DECREASE AMOUNT:
LAST INCREASE DATE:
                                                  INCREASE AMOUNT:
REPLACEMENT DATE:
                                               REPLACEMENT AMOUNT:
REFUND DATE:
                                              ED/GA REFUND AMOUNT:
REVERSAL DATE:
                                              TOP REVERSAL AMOUNT:
OFFSET DATE:
                          PROCESS DATE:
                                               TOP OFFSET AMOUNT:
              CYCLE EFFECTIVE DATE PROCESS DATE OFFSET AMOUNT
              N NNNN MM/DD/YYYY
                                   MM/DD/YYYY
                                                   $9,999.99
9-NEXT YEAR
              10-LAST YEAR 3-EXIT
PF13-I100
              14-I110
                             15-I120
```

- 13. Press [PF8] to scroll additional offset or reversal records. If there are no records to display for a given GA account during the selected year, a message is displayed.
- 14. Offset and reversal information for ED certified accounts is available on the R103 Screen.

2.1.2. Inactivate an Account

Allows the user to change the Federal Offset indicator for the specified account to inactivate it from the Federal Offset process. Only users with update authority can access this function.

- 1. Key the account number (Social Security Number) in the <u>ACCOUNT</u> field using the appropriate prefix ("E" or "S") followed by nine numbers. An "S" is displayed on the screen automatically as the first character of the account number. If the account number begins with an "E", key an "E" over the "S".
- 2. Key the processing year. If no year is entered, the screen displays information pertinent to the most recent processing year that pre-certification account selection has taken place.
- 3. Key an "I" in the <u>ACTION</u> field.
- 4. Press [ENTER].

```
I100 )
              FEDERAL OFFSET ACCOUNT INFO SCREEN
                                                         ABC
                                                                 MM/DD/YY
                                                                 HH:MM
                                FMS IND: A/I:
ACCOUNT NUMBER: S999999999 SUBAGENCY:
PROCESS YEAR: YYYY
                            LOCAL CODE: 000 PHONE:
ACTION: I (A TO ACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
 (I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
 (D TO REMOVE A DEBT)
                              SUBAGENCY SELECTIONS:
NAME:
                                              CERTIFICATION IND: X
TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE:
                                             TOP CURRENT BALANCE:
LAST DECREASE DATE:
                                                 DECREASE AMOUNT:
LAST INCREASE DATE:
                                                 INCREASE AMOUNT:
REPLACEMENT DATE:
                                              REPLACEMENT AMOUNT:
REFUND DATE:
                                             ED/GA REFUND AMOUNT:
REVERSAL DATE:
                                             TOP REVERSAL AMOUNT:
OFFSET DATE:
                         PROCESS DATE:
                                             TOP OFFSET AMOUNT:
              CYCLE EFFECTIVE DATE PROCESS DATE REVERSAL AMOUNT
                                                  $9,999.99
              N NNNN MM/DD/YYYY MM/DD/YYYY
PF9-NEXT YEAR 10-LAST YEAR 3-EXIT
PF13-I100
              14-I110
                            15-I120
```

5. The screen displays the account information.

```
FEDERAL OFFSET ACCOUNT INFO SCREEN
                                                              MM/DD/YY
                                                              HH:MM
                               FMS IND: A/I:
ACCOUNT NUMBER: S99999999 SUBAGENCY: 99 XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
PROCESS YEAR: YYYY LOCAL CODE: 000 PHONE: (999) 999-9999 LOCAL
ACTION: I (A TO ACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
                                              (999) 999-9999 INSTATE
(I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
                                              (999) 999-9999 NATIONWIDE
 (D TO REMOVE A DEBT)
                             SUBAGENCY SELECTIONS:
DEBT NUMBER: NNNNNNNNNNN
                                                    CERTIFICATION IND: X
TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE: $ 9,999.99

TOP CURRENT BALANCE: $ 9,999.99
LAST DECREASE DATE:
                                          DECREASE AMOUNT:$.00
LAST INCREASE DATE:
                                              INCREASE AMOUNT: $.00
REPLACEMENT DATE:
                                            REPLACEMENT AMOUNT: $.00
                                           ED/GA REFUND AMOUNT:$.00
REFUND DATE:
REVERSAL DATE:
                                           TOP REVERSAL AMOUNT: $.00
OFFSET DATE:MM/DD/YYYY PROCESS DATE:MM/DD/YYYY TOP OFFSET AMOUNT: $.00
                           6 - FEDERAL FUNDS HAVE BEEN OFFSET
PRESS ENTER TO CONFIRM INACTIVATE OR PF6 TO CANCEL
PF13-I100 14-I110 15 -I120
```

6. Press [ENTER] to confirm or [PF6] to cancel.

7. The screen displays the new account status.

```
I100 )
             FEDERAL OFFSET ACCOUNT INFO SCREEN
                                                          MM/DD/YY
                                                          HH:MM
CTION: (A TO AUTIVALE ACCOUNT) (999) 99.

(I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT) SUBAGENCY SELECTIONS:
                                       (999) 999-9999 NATIONWIDE
(D TO REMOVE A DEBT)
DEBT NUMBER: NNNNNNNNNN
                                                 CERTIFICATION IND: X
TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE: $ 9,999.99 TOP CURRENT BALANCE: $ 9,999.99
                                      DECREASE AMOUNT:$.00
LAST DECREASE DATE:
LAST INCREASE DATE:
                                           INCREASE AMOUNT:$.00
REPLACEMENT DATE:
                                         REPLACEMENT AMOUNT: $.00
REFUND DATE:
                                        ED/GA REFUND AMOUNT:$.00
REVERSAL DATE:
                                        TOP REVERSAL AMOUNT: $.00
OFFSET DATE:MM/DD/YYYY PROCESS DATE:MM/DD/YYYY TOP OFFSET AMOUNT: $.00
                          9 - inactive in top
PF5-DEBTS 7-OFFSETS 11-REVERSALS 9-NEXT YEAR 10-LAST YEAR 3-EXIT
PF13-I100 14-I110 15 -I120
```

8. Additionally, a record will be sent to Treasury to inactivate the account on ED's next Weekly Update tape.

2.1.3. Remove a Debt

Allows the user to change the Federal Offset indicator for a specified debt to remove it from the Federal Offset process. This can only be performed on ED-held accounts since debt-specific information is not provided on GA-held accounts. Only users with update authority can access this function.

- 1. Key the account number (Social Security Number) in the <u>ACCOUNT</u> field using the appropriate prefix ("E" or "S") followed by nine numbers. An "S" is displayed on the screen automatically as the first character of the account number. If the account number begins with an "E", key an "E" over the "S".
- 2. Key the processing year. If no year is entered, this screen displays information pertinent to the most recent processing year that pre-certification account selection has taken place.
- 3. Key a "D" in the <u>ACTION</u> field.
- 4. Press [ENTER].

```
I100 )
               FEDERAL OFFSET ACCOUNT INFO SCREEN
                                                                ABC
                                                                        MM/DD/YY
                                                                        HH:MM
ACCOUNT NUMBER: S 999999999 SUBAGENCY:
PROCESS YEAR: YYYY
                                             PHONE: (800) NNN-NNNN LOCAL
PROCESS YEAR: YYYY PHONE: (800) NNN-NNNN LOCAL
ACTION: D (A TO ACTIVATE ACCOUNT) (800) NNN-NNNN NNSTATE IA
ACTION: D (A 10 ACTION)
(I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
(SUBAGENCY SELECTIONS:
                                                   (800) NNN-NNNN NATIONWIDE
NAME:
DEBT NUMBER:
                                                  CERTIFICATION IND:
TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE:
                                                  TOP CURRENT BALANCE:
LAST DECREASE DATE:
                                                      DECREASE AMOUNT:
LAST INCREASE DATE:
                                                      INCREASE AMOUNT:
REPLACEMENT DATE:
                                                  REPLACEMENT AMOUNT:
                                                  ED/GA REFUND AMOUNT:
REFUND DATE:
REVERSAL DATE:
                                                  TOP REVERSAL AMOUNT:
                            PROCESS DATE:
OFFSET DATE:
                                                    TOP OFFSET AMOUNT:
                       9 - INACTIVE IN TOP
             7-OFFSETS 11-REVERSALS 9-NEXT YEAR 10-LAST YEAR
PF5-DEBTS
                                                                        3-EXTT
PF13-I100 14-I110 15-I120
```

- 5. The screen displays the debt IDs and amounts.
- 6. Remove a debt by keying its number in the <u>ACTION</u> field. Press [ENTER].

```
I100 )
              FEDERAL OFFSET ACCOUNT INFO SCREEN
                                                                MM/DD/YY
                                                                HH:MM
                                        FMS IND: Y
                                                        A/I: A
ACCOUNT NUMBER: S999999999 SUBAGENCY: 99 XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
ACTION: (A TO ACTIVATE ACCOUNT)

(I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
                                  (999) 999-9999 INSTATE
 (I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT)

(I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT)

SUBAGENCY SELECTIONS:
                                         (999) 999-9999 NATIONWIDE
 (D TO REMOVE A DEBT)
DEBT NUMBER:
                                       CERTIFICATION IND: X
TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE: $ 9,999.99
                                      TOP CURRENT BALANCE: $ 9,999.99
                                           DECREASE AMOUNT:
LAST DECREASE DATE:
LAST INCREASE DATE:
                                           INCREASE AMOUNT:
REPLACEMENT DATE:
                                       REPLACEMENT AMOUNT:
REFUND DATE:
                                       ED/GA REFUND AMOUNT:
                                                                $.00
REVERSAL DATE:
                                       TOP REVERSAL AMOUNT:
                                                                $.00
                    PROCESS DATE:
                                         TOP OFFSET AMOUNT:
                                                                $.00
OFFSET DATE:
                     6 - FEDERAL FUNDS HAVE BEEN OFFSET
PF13-I100 14-I110
                     15-I120
```

- 7. Press [ENTER] to confirm or [PF6] to cancel.
- 8. The TOP CURRENT BALANCE will be reduced by the amount of the removed debt. Additionally, a record will be sent to Treasury on ED's next Weekly Update tape, at which time the LAST DECREASE DATE and the DECREASE AMOUNT will be updated.
- 9. Once the update is completed, the user may enter another account and action code.

2.1.4. Activate an Account

Allows the user to activate a previously inactivated account. Only users with update authority can access this function.

- 1. Key the account number (Social Security Number) in the <u>ACCOUNT</u> field using the appropriate prefix ("E" or "S") followed by nine numbers. An "S" is displayed on the screen automatically as the first character of the account number. If the account number begins with an "E", key an "E" over the "S".
- 2. Key the processing year. If no year is entered, the screen displays information pertinent to the most recent processing year that pre-certification account selection has taken place.
- 3. Key an "A" in the <u>ACTION</u> field.
- 4. Press [ENTER].

```
I100 )
               FEDERAL OFFSET ACCOUNT INFO SCREEN
                                                                       MM/DD/YY
                                                                       нн:мм
                              FMS IND:
ACCOUNT NUMBER: SUBAGENCY:
PROCESS YEAR:
                          PHONE: (999)999-9999 LOCAL
ACTION: (A TO ACTIVATE ACCOUNT) (999)999-9999 INSTATEIA
ACTION: (A TO ACTIVATE ACCOUNT) (999)999-9999 NATION: (I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT) SUBAGENCY SELECTIONS:
                                    (999)999-9999 NATIONWIDE
DEBT NUMBER:
                                           CERTIFICATION IND:
TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE:
                                         TOP CURRENT BALANCE:
LAST DECREASE DATE:
                                            DECREASE AMOUNT:
LAST INCREASE DATE:
                                             INCREASE AMOUNT:
REPLACEMENT DATE:
                                          REPLACEMENT AMOUNT:
REFUND DATE:
                                          ED/GA REFUND AMOUNT:
REVERSAL DATE:
                                         TOP REVERSAL AMOUNT:
OFFSET DATE: PROCESS DATE:
                                            TOP OFFSET AMOUNT:
                       9 - INACTIVE IN TOP
PF5-DEBTS
               7-OFFSETS 11-REVERSALS 9-NEXT YEAR 10-LAST YEAR
                                                                       3-EXIT
PF13-I100 14-I110 15-I120
```

5. Press [ENTER] to confirm or [PF6] to cancel.

```
I100 )
                 FEDERAL OFFSET ACCOUNT INFO SCREEN
                                                                             MM/DD/YY
                                                                             HH:MM
                                 FMS IND:
                                                   A/T:
                       SUBAGENCY:
ACCOUNT NUMBER:
PROCESS YEAR:
                              PHONE: (999)999-9999 LOCAL
ACTION: (A TO ACTIVATE ACCOUNT) (999)999-9999 INSTATEIA (I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT) (999)999-9999 NATIONWIDE
ACTION: (A 10 ACTIVATE (999) (999) ACTION: (I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT) (999) SUBAGENCY SELECTIONS:
NAME:
DEBT NUMBER:
                                               CERTIFICATION IND:
TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE:
                                             TOP CURRENT BALANCE:
LAST DECREASE DATE:
                                                 DECREASE AMOUNT:
LAST INCREASE DATE:
                                                 INCREASE AMOUNT:
REPLACEMENT DATE:
                                             REPLACEMENT AMOUNT:
REFUND DATE:
                                             ED/GA REFUND AMOUNT:
                                             TOP REVERSAL AMOUNT:
REVERSAL DATE:
OFFSET DATE: PROCESS DATE:
                                               TOP OFFSET AMOUNT:
                         9 - INACTIVE IN TOP
PRESS ENTER TO CONFIRM ACTIVATE OR FP6 TO CANCEL
PF13-I100 14-I110 15-I120
```

- 6. The screen displays the new account status.
- 7. The principal and interest of the certified debts are re-calculated and the amount is reflected in the TOP CURRENT BALANCE. Additionally, a record will be sent to treasury on ED's next Weekly Update tape, at which time the REPLACEMENT DATE and the REPLACEMENT AMOUNT will be updated.

```
I100 )
               FEDERAL OFFSET ACCOUNT INFO SCREEN
                                                            ABC
                                                                    MM/DD/YY
                                                                    HH:MM
                              FMS IND:<1>
                                             A/I <2>
ACCOUNT NUMBER: <3>
                           SUBAGENCY: <4>
PROCESS YEAR: <5>
                               PHONE: <6>
ACTION: <7> (A TO ACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
(I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
 (D TO REMOVE A DEBT)
                                SUBAGENCY SELECTIONS: <8>
NAME: <9>
DEBT NUMBER:<10>
                                                 CERTIFICATION IND: <11>
TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE: <12>
                                               TOP CURRENT BALANCE: <13>
LAST DECREASE DATE: <14>
                                                   DECREASE AMOUNT: <15>
LAST INCREASE DATE: <16>
                                                   INCREASE AMOUNT: <17>
                                                REPLACEMENT AMOUNT: <19>
REPLACEMENT DATE: <18>
REFUND DATE: <20>
                                               ED/GA REFUND AMOUNT: <21>
REVERSAL DATE: <22>
                                               TOP REVERSAL AMOUNT: <23>
OFFSET DATE: <24> PROCESS DATE: <25> TOP OFFSET AMOUNT: <26>
                              <27>
ENTER ACCOUNT NUMBER AND PROCESS YEAR
PF13-I100 14-I110
                      15-I120
```

FIELD CONTENT - I100 - FEDERAL OFFSET ACCOUNT INFORMATION

(M) indicates a mandatory field, (O) indicates an optional field, (D) indicates a display only field.

<u>Field Name</u> <u>Definition</u>

1 FMS IND (D) This one-character fiel

This one-character field is an indicator for FMS purposes only. The new TOP formats contain a field to indicate whether an account was previously certified by ED in the 2000 Process Years forward, and this indicator is used strictly by TOP programs for tracking purposes only. For the 2000 Process Years forward, TOP programs will systematically populate ED accounts with either a blank, an "A" (for Add), or a "Y" (for replace). For the 2001 Process Years forward, TOP programs will populate GA accounts with an "A" or a "Y". For all prior years, this field will be blank. This indicator does not relate to whether and account is currently certified in the TOP.

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	Field Name	<u>Definition</u>
2	A/I (D)	This one-character field indicates the current status of a certified account. Beginning with the 2001 Process Year, this field will contain and "A" (for Active or Certified Account) or an "I" (for Inactive or Decertified Account). If an account is not selected for certification or recertification or if the account is unprocessable by Treasury (rejected for certification), this field will be blank. For all years prior to 2001, this field will be blank. This indicator will systematically change, based on ACTION updates.
3	ACCOUNT NUMBER (M)	The account ED. "S" or "E" followed by nine numbers. S = Social Security Number E = Employer Identification Number
4	SUBAGENCY (D)	The two-character alphanumeric subagency code followed by the subagency name. Codes are assigned by ED and approved by Treasury. Display only. If numeric, the first character identifies the service center of the subagency. Valid values are: 4 = Atlanta Service Center 5 = Chicago Service Center 9 = San Francisco Service Center The second character identifies the specific subagency. Valid values are: 0 = ED Service Center 1 - 9 = Collection Agency A two-character alphabetic subagency code identifies a GA, also referred to as a state agency. See Appendix B for valid values.
5	PROCESS YEAR (M)	The year for which the user wishes to display data on the account. YYYY (defaults to most recent processing year for which pre-certification account selection has taken place).

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(I100) FEDERAL OFFSET ACCOUNT INFO		ABC	MM/DD/YY HH:MM
FMS IND:<1>	A/I <2>		
ACCOUNT NUMBER: <3> SUBAGENCY: <4> PROCESS YEAR: <5> PHONE: <6>			
ACTION: <7> (A TO ACTIVATE ACCOUNT)			
(I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT)			
(D TO REMOVE A DEBT) SUBAGENCY	SELECTIONS: <8>		
NAME: <9>	DELECTIOND: (0)		
DEBT NUMBER:<10>	CERTIFICAT	ION IND:	<11>
TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE: <12>	TOP CURRENT	BALANCE:	<13>
LAST DECREASE DATE: <14>	DECREASE	AMOUNT:	<15>
LAST INCREASE DATE: <16>	INCREASE	AMOUNT:	<17>
REPLACEMENT DATE: <18>	REPLACEMENT	AMOUNT:	<19>
REFUND DATE: <20>	ED/GA REFUND		
REVERSAL DATE: <22>	TOP REVERSAL		<23>
OFFSET DATE: <24> PROCESS DATE: <25> TOP OF	FSET AMOUNT: <26:	>	
<27>			
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ENTER ACCOUNT NUMBER AND PROCESS YEAR			
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	Field Name	<u>Definition</u>
6	PHONE (D)	The telephone number(s) of the local code. Display only.
7	ACTION (M)	Action code. One character: V = View the account. This is the only option allowed for users with readonly access. A = Activate the account. I = Inactivate the entire account. D = Remove a debt. Default is "V".
8	SUBAGENCY SELECTIONS (O)	Used to select a particular subagency to display additional information on the borrower; appears when there is more than one subagency for a borrower. Move the cursor to the desired subagency and press [ENTER] to display information. Display only.
9	NAME (D)	Thirty-five character name of the borrower. Display only.
10	DEBT NUMBER (D)	Used for FMS reporting purposes only.

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	Field Name	<u>Definition</u>
11	CERTIFICATION IND (D)	This field contains data for ED accounts beginning with processing year 1999 and beyond. Valid values are: R = Recertified. ED account was selected for certification and was certified in the previous year(s). C = Certified. ED account was selected for certification and was not certified in the previous year(s). blank = Processing year prior to 1999 or GA account or ED account that was not selected for certification.
12	TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE (D)	The balance of the borrower's account as originally reported to Treasury. Display only.
13	TOP CURRENT BALANCE (D)	The current TOP balance of the borrower's account is the original balance minus any payments made by the borrower and offsets made by Treasury. It includes principal and interest only. Any refunds of offsets sent to the borrower are added into the current balance. Display only.
14	LAST DECREASE DATE (D)	The date the decrease to the account was reported to Treasury. Display only.
15	DECREASE AMOUNT (D)	Cumulative decrease amount(s) reported to Treasury by Ed or a guaranty agency for payments and other adjustments to reduce the certified amount. This amount is subtracted from the TOP CURRENT BALANCE. Display only.
16	LAST INCREASE DATE (D)	Date when last increase amount was reported to Treasury.
17	INCREASE AMOUNT (D)	Cumulative increase amount(s) reported to Treasury by ED or a guaranty agency for interest accrual to increase the certified amount. This amount is added to the TOP CURRENT BALANCE. As a result, it is possible that the TOP CURRENT BALANCE may be greater than the TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE.
18	REPLACEMENT DATE (D)	Date when last replacement amount was reported to Treasury.

FEDERAL OFFSET OPTIONS

```
FEDERAL OFFSET ACCOUNT INFO SCREEN
                                                              ABC
 I100 )
                                                                      MM/DD/YY
                                                                      HH:MM
                               FMS IND:<1> A/I <2>
ACCOUNT NUMBER: <3> SUBAGENCY: <4>
PROCESS YEAR: <5>
                                PHONE: <6>
ACTION: <7> (A TO ACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
ACTION: </> (A 10 ACTION)
(I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
(I TO INACTIVATE A DERT) SUBAGENCY SELECTIONS: <8>
NAME: <9>
DEBT NUMBER:<10>
                                                  CERTIFICATION IND: <11>
TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE: <12>
                                                TOP CURRENT BALANCE: <13>
LAST DECREASE DATE: <14>
                                                   DECREASE AMOUNT: <15>
LAST INCREASE DATE: <16>
                                                     INCREASE AMOUNT: <17>
                                                 REPLACEMENT AMOUNT: <19>
REPLACEMENT DATE: <18>
                                                 ED/GA REFUND AMOUNT: <21>
REFUND DATE: <20>
REVERSAL DATE: <22>
                                                 TOP REVERSAL AMOUNT: <23>
OFFSET DATE: <24> PROCESS DATE: <25> TOP OFFSET AMOUNT: <26>
                               <27>
ENTER ACCOUNT NUMBER AND PROCESS YEAR
PF13-I100 14-I110 15-I120
```

	Field Name	<u>Definition</u>
19	REPLACEMENT AMOUNT (D)	Last replacement amount reported to Treasury by ED or a guaranty agency to replace the certified amount. This amount is reflected in the TOP CURRENT BALANCE.
20	REFUND DATE (D)	The most recent processing date of a refund made by either ED or GA.
21	ED/GA REFUND AMOUNT (D)	Total amount (cumulative) of all refunds made by either ED or GA.
22	REVERSAL DATE (D)	The effective date of the last Treasury reversal.
23	TOP REVERSAL AMOUNT (D)	Total amount (cumulative) of all Treasury reversals this year. Display only.
24	OFFSET DATE (D)	Effective date of the Federal Offset. Display only.
25	PROCESS DATE (D)	The date the offset tape was processed. Display only.
26	TOP OFFSET AMOUNT (D)	Total amount (cumulative) offset by Treasury. Display only.

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```
I100 )
              FEDERAL OFFSET ACCOUNT INFO SCREEN
                                                           ABC
                                                                   MM/DD/YY
                                                                   HH:MM
                             FMS IND:<1>
                                            A/I <2>
ACCOUNT NUMBER: <3> SUBAGENCY: <4>
PROCESS YEAR: <5>
                               PHONE: <6>
ACTION: <7> (A TO ACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
(I TO INACTIVATE ACCOUNT)
 (D TO REMOVE A DEBT)
                               SUBAGENCY SELECTIONS: <8>
NAME: <9>
DEBT NUMBER:<10>
                                                CERTIFICATION IND: <11>
TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE: <12>
                                              TOP CURRENT BALANCE: <13>
LAST DECREASE DATE: <14>
                                                 DECREASE AMOUNT: <15>
LAST INCREASE DATE: <16>
                                                  INCREASE AMOUNT: <17>
                                               REPLACEMENT AMOUNT: <19>
REPLACEMENT DATE: <18>
                                              ED/GA REFUND AMOUNT: <21>
REFUND DATE: <20>
REVERSAL DATE: <22>
                                              TOP REVERSAL AMOUNT: <23>
OFFSET DATE: <24> PROCESS DATE: <25> TOP OFFSET AMOUNT: <26>
                             <27>
ENTER ACCOUNT NUMBER AND PROCESS YEAR
PF13-I100 14-I110
                     15-I120
```

Field Name

27a ACCOUNT STATUS (D)

Definition

Message that describes the current TOP status. Display only. Valid values are:

- 0 = Pre-offset processing has not begun for year selected
- 0 = Account not selected for precertification processing
- 1 = Account selected for pre-certification processing
- 2 = Pre-certification processing completed by Treasury
- 3 = Not selected for certification at this time
- 3 = Notification is being/was sent
- 4 = Certification pending acceptance by Treasury
- 5 = Certified for offset with Treasury
- 6 = Federal funds have been offset
- 9 = Removed from federal offset process

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	Field Name	<u>Definition</u>
27b	DEBT INFORMATION (D)	List of certified ED-held debts; it is a combination of selected information from the debt ID, the debt amount, and the debt owner. Display only. First nine characters are from the 16-character debt ID: - First character is debt sequence number. - Second character is loan type: G = GSL F = FISL N = NDSL P = POVR D = FDSL - The next seven characters are the debt number. - The debt amount follows the debt ID information. - The debt owner (Primary, Co-maker, or Removed) follows the debt amount.
27c	OFFSET/REVERSAL INFORMATION (D)	 List of offsets and reversals for GA certified accounts. First field is cycle number of the offset or reversal Second filed is effective date of the offset or reversal. Third field is process date of the offset or reversal. Fourth field is amount of the offset or reversal.

2.2. OPTION 2: I110 - FEDERAL OFFSET SUBAGENCY FILE MAINTENANCE SCREEN

The Federal Offset Subagency File Maintenance Screen is used to view and update subagency address, telephone, GA code, and tape density information for reporting to Treasury.

Actual screen content and available options are determined by the user's authorization. For view-only access, the <u>ACTION</u> field name and action key do not appear and the screen message changes to "ENTER SUBAGENCY CODE AND LOCAL CODE".

For authorized users, four additional options and corresponding descriptions are added to the action key: (A TO ADD DATA), (E TO EDIT DATA), (R TO REMOVE ACCOUNTS) and (D TO REMOVE A LOCAL CODE).

```
( I110 )
               FEDERAL OFFSET SUBAGENCY FILE MAINT SCREEN ABC
                                                                    MM/DD/YY
                                                                    HH: MM
SUBAGENCY CODE:
                               SUBAGENCY:
    LOCAL CODE: 000
ACTION: (V TO VIEW DATA) NAME
(A TO ADD DATA) AND
                                  AND
ADDRESS
          (E TO EDIT DATA)
          (R TO REMOVE ACCOUNTS)
          (D TO DELETE A LOCAL CODE)
                          TELEPHONE NUMBER
              LOCAL
               IN STATE
               NATIONWIDE
                         GUARANTY AGENCY DATA
                     GA CODE: TAPE BPI:
ENTER SUBAGENCY CODE, LOCAL CODE, AND ACTION TO BE TAKEN
```

2.2.1. View Data

Use this option to view subagency-specific and local code information.

1. Key the subagency code and local code if appropriate. The system defaults to a "V" in the ACTION field and "000" in the local code field.

Note: Most subagencies have only one local code. Treasury requires all subagencies to have a local code of "000". Attempting to delete this entry for a subagency results in an error message. For subagencies that have more than one local code, key the specific local code for which information is desired.

```
I110 )
               FEDERAL OFFSET SUBAGENCY FILE MAINT SCREEN ABC
                                                                    MM/DD/YY
                                                                    HH: MM
SUBAGENCY CODE: 40
                                   SUBAGENCY:
LOCAL CODE: UUU
ACTION: V (V TO VIEW DATA)
   LOCAL CODE: 000
                                      NAME
                                        AND
             (E TO EDIT DATA)
                                       ADDRESS
             (R TO REMOVE ACCOUNTS)
             (D TO DELETE A LOCAL CODE)
                           TELEPHONE NUMBER
               LOCAL
                IN STATE
                NATIONWIDE
                         GUARANTY AGENCY DATA
                                  TAPE BPI:
ENTER SUBAGENCY CODE, LOCAL CODE, AND ACTION TO BE TAKEN
```

2. Press [ENTER]. Information on the data base for this particular subagency and local code is displayed.

```
( I110 )
                   FEDERAL OFFSET SUBAGENCY FILE MAINT SCREEN ABC
                                                                                      MM/DD/YY
                                                                                      HH:MM
SUBAGENCY CODE: 40
                                        SUBAGENCY: ATLANTA IN-HOUSE ACCOUNTS
SUBAGENCY CODE: 40

LOCAL CODE: 000

ACTION: V (V TO VIEW DATA) NAME U.S. DEPARTMENT OF

(A TO ADD DATA) AND P.O. BOX 2167

(E TO EDIT DATA) ADDRESS ATLANTA, GA 30370

(R TO REMOVE ACCOUNTS)
                                                                 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
                (D TO DELETE A LOCAL CODE)
                                TELEPHONE NUMBER
                   LOCAL
                   LOCAL ( 800 ) 621-3115 LOCAL
IN STATE ( 800 ) 621-3115 INSTATE GA
                   NATIONWIDE (800) 621-3115 NATIONWIDE
                               GUARANTY AGENCY DATA
                          GA CODE: 000 TAPE BPI:
ENTER ANOTHER SUBAGENCY CODE/LOCAL CODE/ACTION, OR PF3 TO EXIT
```

3. To view another file, key the subagency code, local code, and action, or press **[PF3]** to exit.

2.2.2. Add Data

Users with update capability can use this function to add a subagency's local code, address, telephone numbers, GA code, and tape density to the data base.

1. Key the subagency code, the local code, and an "A" the <u>ACTION</u> field.

```
( I110 ) FEDERAL OFFSET SUBAGENCY FILE MAINT SCREEN ABC MM/DD/YY HH:MM

SUBAGENCY CODE: UF SUBAGENCY:
LOCAL CODE: 070
ACTION: A (V TO VIEW DATA) NAME
(A TO ADD DATA) AND
(E TO EDIT DATA) ADDRESS
(R TO REMOVE ACCOUNTS)
(D TO DELETE A LOCAL CODE)

TELEPHONE NUMBER
LOCAL ( )
IN STATE ( )
NATIONWIDE ( )

GUARANTY AGENCY DATA
GA CODE: TAPE BPI:

ENTER SUBAGENCY CODE, LOCAL CODE, AND ACTION TO BE TAKEN
```

2. Press [ENTER].

```
I110 )
                                                               MM/DD/YY
             FEDERAL OFFSET SUBAGENCY FILE MAINT SCREEN
                                                              HH:MM
                    SUBAGENCY: UNITED STUDENT AID FUNDS
SUBAGENCY CODE: UF
  LOCAL CODE: 070
ACTION: A (V TO VIEW DATA)

(A TO ADD DATA)

(E TO EDIT DATA)

ADDRESS
         (R TO REMOVE ACCOUNTS)
         (D TO DELETE A LOCAL CODE)
                       TELEPHONE NUMBER
             IN STATE
             NATIONWIDE
                       GUARANTY AGENCY DATA
                   GA CODE: 800 TAPE BPI: 6250
ENTER NEW DATA, PRESS ENTER WHEN READY
```

3. The subagency name and GA code appear on the screen. The cursor is positioned in the address area. Key in the address, telephone numbers, and related message, GA code, and tape density (1600, 6250, CART, or blank). The nationwide telephone number must be either an 800 number or a number which can be called collect. The message area after the telephone number is a required field if a telephone number is keyed in the field.

4. Press [ENTER].

Note: The <u>TAPE BPI</u> field will accept 1600, 6250, and CART (cartridge). Otherwise, leave blank. If the user keyed information in the field but wants to delete or modify it, the user <u>must</u> press the [**END**] key (erase end of field), or the [**DEL**] key to "blank" out the field. The space bar cannot be used in this field to delete the entry.

```
( I110 ) FEDERAL OFFSET SUBAGENCY FILE MAINT SCREEN ABC MM/DD/YY HH:MM

SUBAGENCY CODE: UF SUBAGENCY: UNITED STUDENT AID FUNDS
LOCAL CODE: 070

ACTION: A (V TO VIEW DATA) NAME U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
(A TO ADD DATA) AND NEW OFFICE
(E TO EDIT DATA) ADDRESS NNN POLARIS
(R TO REMOVE ACCOUNTS) SUITE 5
(D TO DELETE A LOCAL CODE) INDIANAPOLIS, IN 4NNN

TELEPHONE NUMBER
LOCAL (800) 222-4444 LOCAL
IN STATE (800) 222-4444 INSTATE IN
NATIONWIDE (800) 888-9999 NATIONWIDE

GUARANTY AGENCY DATA
GA CODE: 800 TAPE BPI: 6250

PRESS ENTER TO CONFIRM THE ABOVE DATA, PF5 TO MAKE CHANGES, PF4 TO CANCEL
```

5. Press [ENTER] to confirm, [PF4] to cancel, or [PF5] to make additional changes.

2.2.3. Edit Data

Users with update capability can use this function to update subagency, local code, name, address, telephone numbers, GA code, and tape density information.

1. Key the subagency code, local code if appropriate, and an "E" in the <u>ACTION</u> field.

```
I110 )
              FEDERAL OFFSET SUBAGENCY FILE MAINT SCREEN ABC
                                                                   MM/DD/YY
                                                                   HH:MM
                      SUBAGENCY:
SUBAGENCY CODE: 40
  LOCAL CODE: 000
ACTION: E (V TO VIEW DATA)

(A TO ADD DATA)

(E TO EDIT DATA)

ADDRESS
          (R TO REMOVE ACCOUNTS)
          (D TO DELETE A LOCAL CODE)
                         TELEPHONE NUMBER
              IN STATE (
              NATIONWIDE
                        GUARANTY AGENCY DATA
                    GA CODE: TAPE BPI:
ENTER SUBAGENCY CODE, LOCAL CODE, AND ACTION TO BE TAKEN
```

2. Press [ENTER]. The cursor is positioned in the <u>SUBAGENCY</u> name field and information on the data base for this particular subagency is displayed.

```
( I110 ) FEDERAL OFFSET SUBAGENCY FILE MAINT SCREEN ABC MM/DD/YY HH:MM

SUBAGENCY CODE: 40 SUBAGENCY: ATLANTA IN-HOUSE ACCOUNTS
LOCAL CODE: 000

ACTION: E (V TO VIEW DATA) NAME U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
(A TO ADD DATA) AND P.O. BOX 2167
(E TO EDIT DATA) ADDRESS ATLANTA, GA 30370
(R TO REMOVE ACCOUNTS)
(D TO DELETE A LOCAL CODE)

TELEPHONE NUMBER
LOCAL (800) 621-3115 LOCAL
IN STATE (800) 621-3115 INSTATE GA
NATIONWIDE (800) 621-3115 NATIONWIDE

GUARANTY AGENCY DATA
GA CODE: 000 TAPE BPI:

UPDATE DATA AND PRESS ENTER WHEN READY
```

3. To update the data, key over the displayed information with the new information.

4. Press [ENTER].

```
( I110 )
                  FEDERAL OFFSET SUBAGENCY FILE MAINT SCREEN
                                                                                   MM/DD/YY
                                                                                   HH:MM
SUBAGENCY CODE: 40
                                       SUBAGENCY: ATLANTA IN-HOUSE ACCOUNTS
   LOCAL CODE: 000
ACTION: E (V TO VIEW DATA)
(A TO ADD DATA)
(E TO EDIT DATA)
                                         NAME U.S. DEPARTMENT OF
AND NNN IOWA AVENUE
ADDRESS ATLANTA, GA 30370
                                                     U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
            (R TO REMOVE ACCOUNTS)
(D TO DELETE A LOCAL CODE)
                               TELEPHONE NUMBER
                  LOCAL ( 800 ) 621-3115 LOCAL IN STATE ( 800 ) 621-3115 INSTATE GA
                  NATIONWIDE ( 800 ) 621-3115 NATIONWIDE
                              GUARANTY AGENCY DATA
                         GA CODE: 000 TAPE BPI: 1600
PRESS ENTER TO CONFIRM ABOVE DATA, PF5 TO MAKE CHANGES, PF4 TO CANCEL
```

5. Press [ENTER] to confirm above data, [PF5] to make changes, or [PF4] to cancel.

2.2.4. Remove Accounts

Access to this function is restricted since it allows changing the Federal Offset Indicator for all accounts belonging to a subagency, thus removing the accounts from the Federal Offset process.

1. Key the subagency code, location code, and an "R" in the <u>ACTION</u> field.

```
I110 )
              FEDERAL OFFSET SUBAGENCY FILE MAINT SCREEN ABC
                                                                 MM/DD/YY
                                                                 HH:MM
                     SUBAGENCY:
SUBAGENCY CODE: 40
  LOCAL CODE: 000
ACTION: R (V TO VIEW DATA)

(A TO ADD DATA)

ADDRI
         (E TO EDIT DATA)
                                 ADDRESS
         (R TO REMOVE ACCOUNTS)
         (D TO REMOVE A LOCAL CODE)
                        TELEPHONE NUMBER
              LOCAL
              IN STATE
              NATIONWIDE
                        GUARANTY AGENCY DATA
                   GA CODE: TAPE BPI:
ENTER SUBAGENCY CODE, LOCAL CODE, AND ACTION TO BE TAKEN
```

- 2. Press [ENTER].
- 3. Information on the data base for this subagency is displayed.

```
( I110 ) FEDERAL OFFSET SUBAGENCY FILE MAINT SCREEN ABC MM/DD/YY HH:MM

SUBAGENCY CODE: 40 SUBAGENCY: ATLANTA IN-HOUSE ACCOUNTS LOCAL CODE: 000

ACTION: R (V TO VIEW DATA) NAME U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION (A TO ADD DATA) AND P.O. BOX 2167 (E TO EDIT DATA) ADDRESS ATLANTA, GA 30370 (R TO REMOVE ACCOUNTS) (D TO REMOVE A LOCAL CODE)

TELEPHONE NUMBER
LOCAL (800) 621-3115 LOCAL
IN STATE (800) 621-3115 INSTATE GA
NATIONWIDE (800) 621-3115 NATIONWIDE

GUARANTY AGENCY DATA
GA CODE: 000 TAPE BPI:

PRESS ENTER TO REMOVE ALL ACCOUNTS FOR THIS SUBAGENCY, PF4 TO CANCEL
```

4. Press [ENTER] to remove all accounts for this subagency, or [PF4] to cancel.

2.2.5. Remove Local Codes

When a subagency with more than one local code eliminates one of its local address(es) / telephone number(s), the associated information must be deleted from the data base. Removing local codes from the data base is restricted to high-level users.

1. Key the subagency code, local code, and a "D" in the <u>ACTION</u> field.

Note: Most subagencies have only one local code. Treasury requires all subagencies to have a local code of "000". Attempting to delete this entry for a subagency results in an error message. For subagencies that have more than one local code, key the specific local code for which information is desired.

- 2. Press [ENTER].
- 3. Information on the data base for this subagency and local code is displayed.

```
I110 )
                 FEDERAL OFFSET SUBAGENCY FILE MAINT SCREEN
                                                                              MM/DD/YY
                                                                              HH:MM
SUBAGENCY CODE: 40
                                    SUBAGENCY: ATLANTA IN-HOUSE ACCOUNTS
   LOCAL CODE: 000
ACTION: D (V TO VIEW DATA)

(A TO ADD DATA)

(E TO EDIT DATA)

NAME

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
P.O. BOX 2167
ADDRESS ATLANTA, GA 30370
           (R TO REMOVE ACCOUNTS)
           (D TO REMOVE A LOCAL CODE)
                        TELEPHONE NUMBER
                 LOCAL ( 800 ) 621-3115 LOCAL
IN STATE ( 800 ) 621-3115 INSTATE GA
                 NATIONWIDE (800) 621-3115 NATIONWIDE
                            GUARANTY AGENCY DATA
                        GA CODE: 000 TAPE BPI:
ENTER SUBAGENCY CODE, LOCAL CODE, AND ACTION TO BE TAKEN
```

4. Press [ENTER] to confirm deletion or [PF4] to cancel.

```
I110 )
              FEDERAL OFFSET SUBAGENCY FILE MAINT SCREEN
                                                          ABC
                                                                   MM/DD/YY
                                                                   нн:мм
SUBAGENCY CODE: <1>
                                SUBAGENCY: <2>
   LOCAL CODE: <3>
ACTION:<4>(V TO VIEW DATA)
                                   NAME <5>
         (A TO ADD DATA)
                                   AND
         (E TO EDIT DATA)
                                   ADDRESS
         (R TO REMOVE ACCOUNTS)
         (D TO REMOVE A LOCAL CODE)
                         TELEPHONE NUMBER
              LOCAL
                            ( <6a>)
              IN STATE
                             (<6b>)
              NATIONWIDE
                             ( <6c>)
                        GUARANTY AGENCY DATA
                    GA CODE: <7>
                                  TAPE BPI: <8>
ENTER SUBAGENCY CODE, LOCAL CODE, AND ACTION TO BE TAKEN
```

FIELD CONTENT - I110 - FEDERAL OFFSET SUBAGENCY FILE MAINTENANCE SCREEN

(M) indicates a mandatory field, (O) indicates an optional field, (D) indicates a display only field.

<u>Field Name</u> <u>Definition</u>

1 SUBAGENCY CODE (D)

The two-character alphanumeric subagency code. Codes are assigned by ED and approved by Treasury. Display only. If numeric, the first character identifies the service center of the subagency. Valid values are:

- 4 = Atlanta Service Center
- 5 = Chicago Service Center
- 9 = San Francisco Service Center

The second character identifies the specific subagency. Valid values are:

- 0 = ED Service Center
- 1 9 = Collection Agency

A two-character alphabetic subagency code identifies a GA, also referred to as a state agency. See Appendix B for valid values.

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	Field Name	<u>Definition</u>
2	SUBAGENCY (O/D)	The subagency name.
3	LOCAL CODE (M)	The three-character local code of the subagency. Additional local codes are assigned when subagencies have more than one office maintaining multiple addresses and telephone numbers or to list which collection agency is servicing the account.
4	ACTION (M)	Action code. One character: V = View the account A = Add data E = Edit data R = Remove all accounts for this subagency. Restricted Use D = Remove the local code. Restricted Use. If no action code is selected, the system defaults to "V". The valid values for this field depend on user access level.
5	NAME AND ADDRESS (O/D)	Contains the name and address of the subagency. Optional 35-character field when editing or adding data.
6	TELEPHONE NUMBER:	Each ten-digit telephone field is followed by a ten-character alphanumeric field for messages. Message field is free form, but is mandatory when a telephone number is entered. Display only for view function.
ба	LOCAL (O/D)	The local telephone number of the GA. Optional when editing or adding data; otherwise, display only. Ten digits in this format: 999 999-9999
6b	IN STATE (O/D)	The telephone number which reaches the GA within its home state. The call may be collect or toll-free. Optional when editing or adding data; otherwise, display only. Ten digits in this format: 999 999-9999

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( I110 )
                 FEDERAL OFFSET SUBAGENCY FILE MAINT SCREEN ABC
                                                                            MM/DD/YY
                                                                            HH:MM
SUBAGENCY CODE: <1>
                                   SUBAGENCY: <2>
LOCAL CODE: <3>
ACTION:<4>(V TO VIEW DATA)
(A TO ADD DATA)
(E TO EDIT DATA)
                                       NAME <5>
                                      AND
ADDRESS
           (R TO REMOVE ACCOUNTS)
(D TO REMOVE A LOCAL CODE)
                            TELEPHONE NUMBER
                IN STATE ( <6a>)
                LOCAL
                 NATIONWIDE ( <6c>)
                            GUARANTY AGENCY DATA
                       GA CODE: <7> TAPE BPI: <8>
ENTER SUBAGENCY CODE, LOCAL CODE, AND ACTION TO BE TAKEN
```

	Field Name	<u>Definition</u>
6с	NATIONWIDE (O/M/D)	A telephone number at which the GA can be reached nationwide. The call may be collect or toll-free. Optional when editing; mandatory when adding; otherwise, display only. Ten digits in this format: 999 999-9999
7	GA CODE (U)	The Guaranty Agency code (refer to Appendix B). When the subagency is not a GA, this field is "000". Three numbers.
8	TAPE BPI (O)	Indicates the density of the tape to be sent to the GA. Valid values are "1600", "6250", "CART" (cartridge), or blank. When the subagency is not a GA, this field is blank. See page 25 for the note about adding data.

2.3. OPTION 3: 1120 - FEDERAL OFFSET SUBSYSTEM SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT MAINTENANCE SCREEN

The Federal Offset Subsystem Special Assignment Maintenance Screen provides the status of accounts requested through the GA Special Assignment process. It also allows update of the <u>REASON ACCEPTED</u> field by users who have authorized access to approve a GA reason for non-assignment of an account.

(I120)	FEDERAL OFFSE SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT			ABC	
ACCT: S	OFFSET YEAR:			CY: ACCEPTE	D:
FIELD NAME		CURRENT V	ALUE		
FIRST NAME LAST NAME ASSIGN-STATUS TRAN-APPL-BY-ED TRAN-APPL-BY-GA NON-ASSGN-RSN REVERSAL-AMT OFFSET AMT NON-ASGN-DATE 2ND-NON-ASGN-DATE AUDIT-USER-ID					
ENTER ACCOUNT NUMBER, PF13-I100 14-I110 15-I					

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2.3.1. View an Account

To view an account, three fields are required to be entered.

- 1. Key the account number (the nine-digit Social Security Number) in the <u>ACCT</u> field following the prefix "S".
- 2. Key the processing year of the offset in the <u>OFFSET YEAR</u> field.
- 3. Key the subagency code in the <u>SUBAGENCY</u> field.
- 4. Press [ENTER].
- 5. The screen displays the status information for the selected account in the CURRENT VALUE column fields.

(1120) FEDERAL OFFSET SUBSYSTEM ABC MM/DD/YY SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT MAINTENANCE HH:MM					
ACCT: S999999999	OFFSET YEAR: 1995		NCY: FL		
FIELD NAME		CURRENT VALUE			
FIRST NAME LAST NAME ASSIGN-STATUS TRAN-APPL-BY-ED TRAN-APPL-BY-GA NON-ASSGN-RSN REVERSAL-AMT OFFSET AMT NON-ASGN-DATE 2ND-NON-ASGN-DATE AUDIT-USER-ID AUDIT-DATE TO APPROVE ENTER AN " PF13-I100 14-I110 15-	A" AND HIT ENTER, TO CA	XXXXX XXXXX A 1 0 03 200.00 50,000.00 01/04/1996 00/00/0000 XXX 01/04/1996			
		ancel-Clear			

2.3.2. Edit Data

Users with update capability can use this screen to update the <u>REASON ACCEPTED</u> field for a non-assignment debt.

- 1. Key the account number (the nine-digit Social Security Number) in the <u>ACCT</u> field following the prefix "S".
- 2. Key the processing year of the offset in the <u>OFFSET YEAR</u> field.
- 3. Key the subagency code in the <u>SUBAGENCY</u> field.
- 4. Press [ENTER].
- 5. The screen displays the status information for the selected account in the <u>CURRENT VALUE</u> column fields with the message, "TO APPROVE ENTER AN "A" AND HIT ENTER, TO CANCEL-CLEAR" displayed on the screen.
- 6. Key an "A" in the <u>REASON ACCEPTED</u> field to update (accept) the status of a GA reason for non-assignment of an account.

ACCT: S999999999 OFFSET YEAR: 1995 SUBAGENCY: FL REASON ACCEPTED: A FIELD NAME FIRST NAME LAST NAME ASSIGN-STATUS TRAN-APPL-BY-ED TRAN-APPL-BY-GA NON-ASSGN-RSN REVERSAL-AMT OFFSET AMT SO,000.00 NON-ASGN-DATE 200.00 OFFSET AMT 50,000.00 NON-ASGN-DATE 200.00 OOFOSET AMT 50,000.00 NON-ASGN-DATE 200.00 OOFOSET AMT 50,000.00 NON-ASGN-DATE 01/04/1996 2ND-NON-ASGN-DATE 00/00/0000 AUDIT-USER-ID XXX AUDIT-DATE TO APPROVE ENTER AN "A" AND HIT ENTER, TO CANCEL-CLEAR	(I120)		ABC	MM/DD/YY HH:MM	
FIRST NAME XXXXX LAST NAME XXXXX ASSIGN-STATUS P TRAN-APPL-BY-ED 1 TRAN-APPL-BY-GA 0 NON-ASSGN-RSN 03 REVERSAL-AMT 200.00 OFFSET AMT 50,000.00 NON-ASGN-DATE 01/04/1996 2ND-NON-ASGN-DATE 00/00/0000 AUDIT-USER-ID XXX AUDIT-DATE 01/04/1996	ACCT: S999999999				
LAST NAME XXXXX ASSIGN-STATUS P TRAN-APPL-BY-ED 1 TRAN-APPL-BY-GA 0 NON-ASSGN-RSN 03 REVERSAL-AMT 200.00 OFFSET AMT 50,000.00 NON-ASGN-DATE 01/04/1996 2ND-NON-ASGN-DATE 00/00/0000 AUDIT-USER-ID XXX AUDIT-DATE 01/04/1996	FIELD NAME	CURRENT VA	ALUE		
PF13-I100 14-I110 15-I120	LAST NAME ASSIGN-STATUS TRAN-APPL-BY-ED TRAN-APPL-BY-GA NON-ASSGN-RSN REVERSAL-AMT OFFSET AMT NON-ASGN-DATE 2ND-NON-ASGN-DATE AUDIT-USER-ID AUDIT-DATE	200 50,000 01/04/1 00/00/0 01/04/1 A" AND HIT ENTER, TO CANCEL-CLEA	XXX P 1 0 03 .00 .00 .996 000 XXX 996		

Note: Only non-assignment accounts with the following Assign Status will be available for update: "O", "R", "P", or "D".

7. Press [ENTER]. The message "PRESS ENTER TO CONFIRM APPROVAL,

PF4 TO CANCEL" will be displayed on the screen.

8. Press [ENTER] again. The message "UPDATE COMPLETED" will be displayed if update was successful. The message "STATUS CANNOT BE CHANGED" will be displayed if the non-assignment account cannot be approved.

(I120)			SUBSYSTEM MAINTENANC		ABC	MM/DD/YY HH:MM
ACCT: S<1>	OFFSET	YEAR: _	_<2>		CY: <3> ACCEPTE	
FIELD NAME			CURRENT	VALUE		
FIRST NAME LAST NAME ASSIGN-STATUS TRAN-APPL-BY-ED TRAN-APPL-BY-GA NON-ASSGN-RSN REVERSAL-AMT OFFSET AMT NON-ASGN-DATE 2ND-NON-ASGN-DATE AUDIT-USER-ID AUDIT-DATE			=	<pre><5> <6> <7> <8> <9> <10> <11> <12> <13> <14> <15> <16></pre>		
ENTER ACCOUNT NUMBER, PF13-I100 14-I110 15-I		JBAGENCY				

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(M) indicates a mandatory field, (O) indicates an optional field, (D) indicates a display only field.

	<u>Field Name</u>	<u>Definition</u>
1	ACCT (M)	The account ID. "S" (Social Security Number) followed by nine digits.
2	OFFSET YEAR (M)	The processing year for which the user wishes to display data on the account.
3	SUBAGENCY (M)	The two-character alphabetic code identifying the subagency as a GA. Also referred to as a state agency. See Appendix B for valid values.
4	REASON ACCEPTED (M,D)	Indicates that a GA reason has been approved for non-assignment of an accont. Valid value: "A"

	Field Name	<u>Definition</u>
5	FIRST-NAME (D)	The first name of the borrower.
6	LAST-NAME (D)	The last name of the borrower.
7	ASSIGN-STATUS (D)	The status of the assignment request. Valid values are: P = The initial request for the account is pending and the 90-day response time has not expired. R = A second request (re-request) of an account has been sent after the GAs reason for non-assignment was initially approved. E = An error was detected on either the assignment or reason for non-assignment tape. L = An account was loaded to the data base. A = The GA's reason for non-assignment was approved and the account will remain with the GA. D = The GA's reason for non-assignment was denied. O = The GA's response to ED's request is overdue.
8	TRAN-APPL-BY-ED (D)	Indicates the type of TOP transaction that ED has received from Treasury on a GA account. Valid values are: 0 = No offset or reversal was applied 1 = Only offset was applied. 2 = Only reversal was applied. 3 = Both offset and reversal were applied.
9	TRAN-APPL-BY-GA (D)	Indicates the type of TOP transaction that the GA has applied to an account. Valid values: 0 = No offset or reversal was applied. 1 = Only offset was applied. 2 = Only reversal was applied. 3 = Both offset and reversal were applied.

	FEDERAL OFFS		MM/DD/YY HH:MM
ACCT: S<1>	OFFSET YEAR:	SUBAGEN REASON	
FIELD NAME		 VALUE	

	Field Name	<u>Definition</u>
10	NON-ASSGN-RSN (D)	Indicates the valid reason that a GA provided for retaining an account. Valid values are: 01 = Closed, Paid in Full. 02 = Closed, Satisfied in Full. 03 = Closed, Death. 04 = Closed, Disability. 05 = Bankruptcy. 06 = Satisfactory repayment arrangements have been made to pay account off in full. 07 = Closed school/false certification. 08 = Previously assigned. 09 = Repurchased by lender. 10 = In litigation.
11	REVERSAL-AMT (D)	Total value (cumulative) of reversals that Treasury sent for this GA account.
12	OFFSET-AMT (D)	Total value (cumulative) of offsets that Treasury sent for this GA account.
13	NON-ASGN-DATE (D)	The date that the GA reason for non-assignment tape was processed.

	Field Name	<u>Definition</u>
14	2ND-NON-ASGN-DATE (D)	The date that a second assignment request was sent to the GA because the GA's non-assignment reason was denied.
15	AUDIT-USER-ID (D)	This is the user ID that last updated this screen.
16	AUDIT-DATE (D)	This is the date that the last update was made to the tracking detail record.

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Message	<u>Definition</u>
<account action="" allowed="" certified,="" no="" not=""></account>	The A/I indicator must equal "A" or "I" in order to use action codes "A", "I", or "D".
<account for="" not="" pre-<br="" selected="">CERTIFICATION PROCESSING></account>	This account has not been selected for Federal Offset processing for the indicated processing year.
<account "e"="" "s"="" be="" must="" or="" prefix=""></account>	Enter either "E" or "S" before the Social Security Number.
<account for="" pre-<br="" selected="">CERTIFICATION PROCESSING></account>	The attempt to select the account for pre-certification was successful.
<account batch="" by="" removed="" subagency="" was=""></account>	Describes the way the account was removed from the Federal Offset Process.
<balance below="" minimum="" reduced="" to=""></balance>	The balance has been reduced to an amount below the minimum Federal Offset amount, thereby removing the account from Federal Offset processing for the indicated processing year.
<4-CERTIFICATION PENDING ACCEPTANCE BY TREASURY>	This is the status of the account.
<5-CERTIFIED FOR OFFSET WITH TREASURY>	This is the status of the account.
<data available="" for="" not="" selected="" year=""></data>	There is no Federal Offset information on the data base for the selected year.
<detail information="" not<br="">AVAILABLE></detail>	There are no offset or reversal records to display for a given GA account during the selected year.
<60-DAY NOTICE NOT DELIVERED - TOP ADDRESS NOT USED>	The 60-day notice mailed to the account owner informing him/her of a pending Federal Offset was undeliverable. The address provided by the IRS was not used; therefore, this account cannot be certified.
<60-DAY NOTICE PREVIOUSLY MAILED>	The account is currently certified in the TOP and, if eligible, will be certified for the following year; however, a new 60-day notice will not be sent because the borrower already received the notice in the previous year(s).
<enter account="" and="" number="" process="" year=""></enter>	System prompt to enter the account number and process year. Enter the requested information.
<enter account="" number,<br="">PROCESS YEAR, AND ACTION></enter>	System prompt to enter the account number, process year, and action. Enter the requested information.

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Message	<u>Definition</u>
<enter account<br="" another="">NUMBER AND PROCESS YEAR></enter>	System prompt to enter another account number and process year. Enter the requested information.
<enter account<br="" another="">NUMBER, PROCESS YEAR, AND ACTION></enter>	System prompt to enter another account number, process year, and action. Enter the requested information.
<enter code="" enter="" local="" new="" press="" then=""></enter>	Enter a valid new local code for the account.
<file again="" for="" is="" later="" not="" open="" try="" update,=""></file>	The file used to report to Treasury is not open at this time. Actions "I", "D", and "A" cannot be performed.
<individual data="" debt="" not<br="">AVAILABLE></individual>	Data on the individual debts that make up this account is not available. This is normal for any account certified by a GA.
<invalid -<br="" action="" selection="">MUST BE V, A, D, OR I></invalid>	These codes are the only valid values for this field. Re-enter either V, A, D, or I.
<invalid key="" pf=""></invalid>	An invalid [PF] key was pressed. Verify the information and press the correct key.
<invalid process="" year=""></invalid>	The year entered is in the wrong format. Re-enter the year in YYYY format (e.g., 1999).
<invalid -="" a<br="" be="" must="" selection="">NUMBER BETWEEN 1 AND 5></invalid>	The reason for removal selected must be between 1 and 5. Reenter a number between 1 and 5.
<treasury a="" did="" find="" match<br="" not="">FOR THIS ACCOUNT></treasury>	Treasury did not find this account on its records during pre- certification processing.
<no 60-day="" mailed="" notice=""></no>	There was no 60-day notice mailed to the account owner informing him/her of the pending Federal Offset.
<not active="" bureau="" credit="" in="" reporting=""></not>	This account is not being reported to credit bureaus and consequently can not be certified.
<3-NOT SELECTED FOR CERTIFICATION AT THIS TIME>	This is the status of the account. Even though the account currently has not been selected for certification for a particular processing year, it may subsequently be selected in another certification for the processing year.
<3-NOTIFICATION IS BEING/WAS SENT>	60-day notice has been or will be mailed.

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Message	<u>Definition</u>
<payment(s) after="" made="" notification=""></payment(s)>	The borrower made payments since notification of Federal Offset and consequently was not certified.
<payment(s) account<br="" reduced="">BALANCE TO BELOW TREASURY MINIMUM></payment(s)>	The borrower's payments have reduced the balance to below the Treasury minimum. As a result, the account has been removed from Federal Offset processing in the indicated year.
<pf9 -="" invalid="" later="" no="" years<br="">AVAILABLE></pf9>	Information is not available for the processing year requested using this [PF] key.
<pf10 -="" earlier="" invalid="" no="" years<br="">AVAILABLE></pf10>	Information is not available for the processing Year requested using this [PF] key.
<pre-certification by="" completed="" processing="" treasury=""></pre-certification>	This is the status of the account.
<o-pre-offset has<br="" processing="">NOT BEGUN FOR YEAR SELECTED></o-pre-offset>	The Federal Offset process has not begun for the year chosen.
<press confirm<br="" enter="" to="">REMOVAL, PF6 TO CANCEL, OR PF5 TO CHANGE SELECTION></press>	Press the key which corresponds to the desired action.
<press debts="" more="" pf8="" see="" to=""></press>	Press this key to scroll forward through the debts.
<remove a="" by="" debt="" enter="" its="" number,="" press="" selecting="" then=""></remove>	Select the desired debt number and press [ENTER].
<removed bankruptcy="" due="" to=""></removed>	Describes the reason why the account was removed from the Federal Offset process.
<removed death="" due="" to=""></removed>	Describes the reason why the account was removed from the Federal Offset process.
<removed disability="" due="" to=""></removed>	Describes the reason why the account was removed from the Federal Offset process.
<removed due="" financial="" hardship="" to=""></removed>	Describes the reason why the account was removed from the Federal Offset process.
<9-REMOVED FROM FEDERAL OFFSET PROCESS>	This is the status of the account.
<removed for="" miscellaneous="" reason=""></removed>	Describes the reason why the account was removed from the Federal Offset process.
<see detailed="" for="" information="" r103="" screen=""></see>	Offset and reversal records are only available for GA accounts using this screen. Access the R103 Screen for information on ED accounts.

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Message	<u>Definition</u>
<select by<br="" for="" reason="" removal="">NUMBER AND PRESS ENTER></select>	Key the number corresponding to the reason for removal and press [ENTER].
<ssn account="" must<br="" of="" portion="">BE NUMERIC></ssn>	The field entered must contain only numbers.
<6-FEDERAL FUNDS HAVE BEEN OFFSET>	This is the status of the account.
<unprocessable -<="" at="" li="" treasury="">AMOUNT OWED IS LESS THANMINIMUM></unprocessable>	The balance owed is less than the minimum amount required for Federal Offset processing.
<unprocessable -<br="" at="" treasury="">DELINQUENT DATE TOO OLD></unprocessable>	The delinquent date is too old for Federal Offset processing.
<unprocessable -<br="" at="" treasury="">INVALID AGENCY CODE></unprocessable>	An invalid agency code has been reported to Treasury on the account, making it impossible to process.
<unprocessable -<br="" at="" treasury="">INVALID DELINQUENT DATE FORMAT></unprocessable>	An invalid delinquent date format has been reported to Treasury on the account, making it impossible to process.
<unprocessable -="" at="" control="" invalid="" name="" treasury=""></unprocessable>	An invalid name control record is associated with the account, making it impossible to process.
<unprocessable -="" at="" invalid="" ssn="" treasury=""></unprocessable>	An invalid SSN has been entered, making the account impossible to process.
<unprocessable -<br="" at="" treasury="">INVALID SUBAGENCY CODE></unprocessable>	An invalid subagency code has been entered, making the account impossible to process.
<unprocessable -<br="" at="" treasury="">NO NAME GIVEN></unprocessable>	No name is associated with the account, making it impossible to process.
<unprocessable -<br="" at="" treasury="">PRIORITY CODE NOT 0 OR 1></unprocessable>	The priority code for this account is not zero or one, making the account impossible to process.

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Message

<ACTION SELECTION MUST BE V, A, OR E>

<ACTION SELECTION MUST BE V, A, E, R, OR D>

<CANNOT DELETE LOCAL CODE 000 WHEN OTHER LOCAL CODES ARE ON THE DATABASE>

<DATA ADDED - ENTER ANOTHER SUBAGENCY/LOCAL CODE/ACTION, OR PF3 TO EXIT>

<DATA DELETED - ENTER ANOTHER SUBAGENCY/LOCAL CODE/ACTION, OR PF3 TO EXIT>

<DATA UPDATED - ENTER ANOTHER SUBAGENCY/LOCAL CODE/ACTION, OR PF3 TO EXIT>

<ENTER ANOTHER SUBAGENCY CODE AND LOCAL CODE, OR PF3 TO EXIT>

<ENTER ANOTHER SUBAGENCY CODE/LOCAL CODE/ACTION, OR PF3 TO EXIT>

<ENTER NEW DATA, PRESS ENTER WHEN READY>

<ENTER SUBAGENCY CODE AND LOCAL CODE>

ENTER SUBAGENCY CODE, LOCAL CODE AND ACTION TO BE TAKEN>

Definition

The requested action must be "V", "A", or "E". Re-enter either V, A, or E.

The requested action must be "V", "A", "E", "R", or "D". Reenter either V, A, E, R, or D.

Treasury requires a local code of all zeroes (000) for all subagencies before additional codes can be added. Therefore, the local code cannot be deleted.

Confirmation message indicating that the information has been successfully added to the data base.

Confirmation message indicating that the information has been successfully deleted from the data base.

Confirmation message indicating that the information has been successfully updated in the data base.

System prompt to enter another subagency code and local code or press [PF3] to exit. Enter subagency and local codes or press [PF3] to leave the screen.

System prompt to enter another subagency code, local code, or action, or press **[PF3]** to leave the screen. Enter the requested information or press **[PF3]**.

System prompt to enter new information. Press [ENTER].

System prompt to enter the subagency and local codes. Enter the requested information.

System prompt to enter the subagency code, local code and action. Enter the requested information.

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Message	<u>Definition</u>
<instate number<br="" telephone="">DESCRIPTION REQUIRED></instate>	A description must be supplied for the in-state telephone number. Enter the requested information.
<invalid code="" ga=""></invalid>	The GA code entered must be a valid two-digit code. Re-enter a correct GA code.
<invalid area="" code="" instate=""></invalid>	The in-state area code must be a three-digit code. Re-enter a correct area code.
<invalid instate="" number="" phone=""></invalid>	The in-state telephone number must be three numbers followed by a dash and four numbers. Re-enter a correct telephone number.
<invalid area="" code="" local=""></invalid>	The local area code must be a three-digit code. Re-enter a correct local area code.
<invalid local="" number="" phone=""></invalid>	The local telephone number must be three numbers followed by a dash and four numbers. Re-enter a correct local phone number.
<invalid area="" code="" nationwide=""></invalid>	The nationwide area code must be a three-digit code. Re-enter a correct nationwide area code.
<invalid nationwide="" phone<br="">NUMBER></invalid>	The nationwide telephone number must be three numbers followed by a dash and four numbers. Re-enter a correct nationwide phone number.
<invalid key="" pf=""></invalid>	An invalid [PF] key was pressed. Press the correct key.
<local base="" code="" data="" is="" not="" on="" the=""></local>	The local code entered for this subagency does not exist on the data base. Therefore, information cannot be processed.
<local be="" code="" must="" numeric=""></local>	The local code field must be numeric. Re-enter a correct local code.
<local code="" required=""></local>	The LOCAL CODE field must be completed. Enter a valid local code.
<pre><local description="" number="" required="" telephone=""></local></pre>	A description must be supplied for the local telephone number. Enter a valid description.

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Message	<u>Definition</u>
<nationwide description="" number="" required="" telephone=""></nationwide>	A description must be supplied for the nationwide telephone number. Enter a valid description.
<nationwide information="" is="" number="" required="" telephone=""></nationwide>	NATIONWIDE TELEPHONE NUMBER is a mandatory field (required by Treasury). Enter a valid number.
<press above<br="" confirm="" enter="" to="">DATA, PF5 TO MAKE CHANGES, PF4 TO CANCEL></press>	System prompt to confirm data, make changes, or cancel. Press the key which corresponds to the desired action.
<press confirm<br="" enter="" to="">DELETION, PF4 TO CANCEL></press>	System prompt to confirm deletion or cancel. Press the key which corresponds with the desired action.
<press all<br="" enter="" remove="" to="">ACCOUNTS FOR THIS SUBAGENCY, PF4 TO CANCEL></press>	System prompt to remove all accounts for the subagency specified or cancel the request. Press the key which corresponds with the desired action.
<subagency and="" codes<br="" local="">ARE ALREADY ON THE DATABASE></subagency>	Subagency and local codes cannot be added because they are already on the data base.
<subagency code="" required=""></subagency>	The SUBAGENCY CODE is a mandatory field. Enter a valid code.
<subagency database="" is="" not="" on="" the=""></subagency>	The subagency code entered was not found on the data base. Re-enter another code.
<tape 1600,="" 6250,="" be="" blank="" bpi="" cart,="" must="" or=""></tape>	The tape BPI entered is not valid. Re-enter either 1600, 6250, CART, or leave the field blank.
<there are="" federal="" no="" offset<br="">ACCOUNTS FOR THIS SUBAGENCY></there>	No Federal Offset accounts have been recorded in the data base for the specified subagency. Re-enter another subagency.
<update and="" data="" enter="" press="" ready="" when=""></update>	System prompt to update the information on the screen. Press [ENTER] .

Screen I120 - Federal Offset Special Assignment Maintenance

Message	<u>Definition</u>
<invalid key="" pressed=""></invalid>	An invalid [PF] key was pressed. Press the correct key.
<offset be="" greater<br="" must="" year="">THEN 1985></offset>	Message indicating requirements for offset year.
<offset be="" must="" numeric="" year=""></offset>	The field entered must contain only numbers.
<reason accepted="" must="A"></reason>	The requested reason accepted must be "A".
<ssn account="" must<br="" of="" portion="">BE NUMERIC></ssn>	The field entered must contain only numbers.
<status be="" changed;<br="" may="" not="">PRESS ENTER></status>	The requested record will not be updated if assign status is other than "O", "P", "R", or "D".
<subagency be<br="" must="">ALPHABETIC></subagency>	The field entered must contain only letters of the alphabet.
<no account="" for="" found="" record="" ssn="" this="" tracking=""></no>	For a given SSN number, account record not found on the data base.
<tracking found<br="" not="" record="">FOR THIS YEAR & SUBAGENCY></tracking>	Tracking record not found for given year and subagency.

APPENDIX B: GA CODES

UNITED STATES AND FOREIGN COUNTRY GA CODES

TRE	ASURY STATE CODE	GA CODE
AL	Alabama	701
AK	Alaska	702
AZ	Arizona	804
AR	Arkansas	705
CA	California	706
CO	Colorado	708
CT	Connecticut	709
DE	Delaware	710
DS	District of Columbia I	711
DC	District of Columbia II	611(HEAF)
FL	Florida	712
GA	Georgia	713
HI	Hawaii	815
ID	Idaho	716
${ m IL}$	Illinois	717
IN	Indiana	718
IA	Iowa	719
KS	Kansas	620(HEAF)
KY	Kentucky	721
LA	Louisiana	722
ME	Maine	723
MD	Maryland	724
MA	Massachusetts	725
MI	Michigan	726
MN	Minnesota	627(HEAF)
MS	Mississippi	728
MO	Missouri	729
MT	Montana	730
NE	Nebraska I	631(HEAF)
NB	Nebraska II	731
NV	Nevada	732
NH	New Hampshire	733
NJ	New Jersey	734
NM	New Mexico	735
NY	New York	736
NC	North Carolina	737
ND	North Dakota	738
NS	North Star	727

APPENDIX B: GA CODES

TREA	ASURY STATE CODE	GA CODE
ОН	Ohio	739
OK	Oklahoma	740
OR	Oregon	741
PA	Pennsylvania	742
RI	Rhode Island	744
SC	South Carolina	745
SD	South Dakota	746
SM	Educational Credit Management Corp	927
TN	Tennessee	747
TC	Texas I	948
TX	Texas II	748
UT	Utah	749
VT	Vermont	750
VA	Virginia	751
WA	Washington	753
WV	West Virginia	654(HEAF)
WI	Wisconsin	755
WY	Wyoming	656(HEAF)

TRE	ASURY FOREIGN COUNTRY	GA CODE
A E	A Gri	
AF	Africa	0.60
AS	American Samoa	860
CZ	Canal Zone	
PQ	Canal Zone	
EQ	Canton & Enderbury	
CI	Caroline Islands	
EU	Europe	
FC	Foreign Country	0.55
GU	Guam	866
JQ	Johnston Atoll	
MR	Marina Islands	
ML	Marshall Islands	
MQ	Midway Island	
CM	Northern Marina Isl	869
PΙ	Pacific Islands	
PR	Puerto Rico	772
SQ	Swan Island	
TT	Trust Territories	875
BQ	US Misc Carib Isl	
IQ	US Misc Pacific Isl	
VI	Virgin Islands	778
WQ	Wake Island	
MISC.	<u>CELLANEOUS</u>	GA CODE
HE	Higher Education Assistance Foundation	627(HEAF)
UF	United Student Aid Fund	800

APPENDIX C: IDD RECORD REPORT

TITLE

Federal Offset Account Information Screen (I100)

PURPOSE

The Federal Offset Account Information Screen is used to access status and debt information for accounts reported to Treasury for Federal Offset. It also allows removal of an account or debt from Federal Offset by users who have authorized access.

PROGRAM

GDIRS100

SPECIAL NOTES

None.

FIELDS:

ENGLISH NAME/DEFINITION REFERENCE

FMS IND IRSOFF-FMS-IND

This one-character field is an indicator for FMS purposes only.

A/I IRSOFF-ACTIVE-IND

This one-character field indicates the current status of a certified account.

ACCOUNT NUMBER IRSOFF-ACCT-ID

The account ID.

SUBAGENCY IRSOFF-SUBAGCY-CODE

The two-character alphanumeric subagency code followed by the subagency name. Codes are assigned by ED and approved by Treasury.

PROCESS YEAR IRSCURR-YR

The year for which the user wishes to display data on the account.

PHONE IRSLOC-LOCAL-PHONE

The telephone number (s) of the local code. Display only.

ACTION I100-ACTIONI

Action code. One character.

SUBAGENCY SELECTIONS IRSOFF-SUBAGCY-CODE

Used to select a particular subagency to display additional information on the borrower; appears when there is more than one subagency for a borrower. Move the cursor to the desired subagency and press [ENTER] to display information. Display only.

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ENGLISH NAME/DEFINITION	REFERENCE
NAME	IRSOFF-FIRST-NAME IRSOFF-LAST-NAME
Thirty-five character name of the borrower. Display only.	
DEBT NUMBER	IRSOFF-DEBT-NUMBER
Used for FMS reporting purposes only.	
CERTIFICATION IND	IRSOFF-CERTIFICATION-IND
This field contains data for ED accounts beginning with Processing Year 1999 and beyond.	
TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE	IRSOFF-ORIG-BAL
The balance of the borrower's account as originally reported to Treasury. Display only.	
TOP CURRENT BALANCE	IRSOFF-CURR-BAL
The current TOP balance of the borrower's account is the original balance minus any payments made by the borrower and offsets made by Treasury. It includes principal and interest only. Any refunds of offsets sent to the borrower are added into the current balance. Display only.	
LAST DECREASE DATE	IRSOFF-UPDATE-DATE
The date the decrease to the account was reported to Treasury.	
DECREASE AMOUNT	IRSOFF-UPDATE-AMT
Cumulative decrease amount(s) reported to treasury by ED or a guaranty agency for payments and other adjustments to reduce the certified amount. This amount is subtracted from the TOP CURRENT BALANCE.	
LAST INCREASE DATE	IRSOFF-INCREASE-DATE
Date when last increase amount was reported to Treasury.	
INCREASE AMOUNT	IRSOFF-INCREASE-AMT
Cumulative increase amount(s) reported to Treasury hy ED or a guaranty agency for interest accrual to increase the certified amount. This amount is added to the TOP CURRENT BALANCE. As a result, it is possible that the TOP CURRENT BALANCE may be greater than the TOP ORIGINAL BALANCE.	

ENGLISH NAME/DEFINITION	REFERENCE
REPLACEMENT DATE	IRSOFF-REPLACE-DATE
Date when last replacement amount was reported to Treasury.	
REPLACEMENT AMOUNT	IRSOFF-REPLACE-AMT
Last replacement amount reported to Treasury by ED or a guaranty agency to replace the certified amount. This amount is reflected in the TOP CURRENT BALANCE.	
REFUND DATE	IRSOFF-EDGA-REFUND-
The most recent processing date of a refund made by either ED or GA.	DATE
ED/GA REFUND AMOUNT	IRSOFF-REFUND-AMT
Total amount (cumulative of all refunds made by either ED or GA.	
REVERSAL DATE	IRSOFF-REVERSAL-DATE
The effective date of the last Treasury reversal.	
TOP REVERSAL AMOUNT	IRSOFF-CLAIM-AMT
Total amount (cumulative af all Treasury reversals this year. Display only.	
OFFSET DATE	IRSOFF-OFFSET-DATE
Effective date of the Federal Offset. Display only.	
PROCESS DATE	IRSOFF-POSTING-DATE
The date the offset tape was processed. Display only.	
ACCOUNT STATUS	I100-NOTE0
Message that describes the current TOP status. Display only.	
DEBT INFORMATION	I100-NOTE0
List of certified ED-held debts; it is a combination of selected information from the debt ED, the debt amount, and the debt owner. Display only.	
OFFSET/REVERSAL INFORMATION	I100-NOTE0
List of offsets and reversals for GA certified accounts.	

TITLE

Federal Offset Subagency File Maintenance Screen (I110)

PURPOSE

The Federal Offset Subagency File Maintenance Screen is used to view and update subagency address, telephone, GA code, and tape density information for reporting to Treasury.

PROGRAM

GDIRS110

SPECIAL NOTES

None.

FIELDS:

ENGLISH NAME/DEFINITION REFERENCE

SUBAGENCY CODE IRSOFF-SUBAGCY-CODE

The two-character alphanumeric subagency code. Codes are assigned by ED and approved by Treasury. Display only.

SUBAGENCY IRSSUB-SUBAGCY-DESC

The subagency name.

LOCAL CODE IRSLOC-LOCAL-CODE

The three-character local code of the subagency. Additional local codes are assigned when subagencies have more than one office maintaining multiple address and telephone numbers or to list which collection agency is servicing the account.

ACTION I110-ACTIONI

Action code. One character

NAME AND ADDRESS IRSLOC-ADDR-LINE1

IRSLOC-ADDR-LINE2
Contains the name and address of the subagency. Optional 35-caracter
IRSLOC-ADDR-LINE3

field when editing or adding data. IRSLOC-ADDR-LINE3

TELEPHONE NUMBER IRS110-COMM0001

Each ten-digit telephone field is followed by a ten-character alphanumeric field for messages.

LOCAL IRSLOC-LOCAL-INFO

The local telephone number of the GA.

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ENGLISH NAME/DEFINITION	REFERENCE
IN STATE	IRSLOC-IN-STATE-INFO
The telephone number which reaches the GA within its home state. The call may be collect or toll-free.	
NATIONWIDE	IRSLOC-NATNL-INFO
A telephone number at which the GA can be reached nationwide. The call my be collect or toll-free.	
GA CODE	IRSSUB-GA-CODE
The Guaranty Agency code (refer to Appendix B). When the subagency is not a GA, this field is "000". Three numbers.	
TAPE BPI	IRSSUB-BPI

Indicates the density of the tape to be sent to the GA.

D-IRS-000-3

TITLE

Federal Offset Subsystem Special Assignment Maintenance Screen (I120)

PURPOSE

The Federal Offset Subsystem Special Assignment Maintenance Screen is used to provide the status of accounts requested through the GA Special Assignment process. It also allows update of the <u>REASON ACCEPTED</u> field by users who have authorized access to approve a GA reason for non-assignment of an account

PROGRAM

GDIRS120

SPECIAL NOTES

None.

FIELDS:

ENGLISH NAME/DEFINITION	REFERENCE
ACCT	IGAA-ACCT-NBR-KEY
The account ID. "S" (social Security Number) followed by nine digits.	
OFFSET YEAR	IGAT-OFFSET-YEAR
The processing year for which the user wishes to display data on the account.	
SUBAGENCY	IGAT-SUBAGCY-CODE
The two-character alphabetic code identifying the subagency as a GA. Also referred to as a state agency.	
REASON ACCEPTED	I120-CHG-STATUSI
Indicates that a GA reason has been approved for non-assignment of an account.	
FIRST-NAME	IGAT-FIRST-NAME
The first name of the borrower.	
LAST-NAME	IGAT-LAST-NAME
The last name of the borrower.	
ASSIGN-STATUS	IGAT-ASSIGN-STAT
The status of the assignment request.	
TRAN-APPL-BY-ED	IGAT-IRS-TRANS-APPLD- BY-ED
Indicates the type of TOP transaction that ED has received from Treasury on a GA account.	<i>51 </i>

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ENGLISH NAME/DEFINITION	REFERENCE
TRAN-APPL-BY-GA Indicates the type of TOP transaction that the GA has applied to an account.	IGAT-IRS-TRANS-APPLD- BY-GA
NON-ASSGN-RESN	IGAT-NON-ASSIGN-RSN
Indicates the valid reason that a GA provided for retaining an account.	
REVERSAL-AMT	IGAT-CLAIM-AMT
Total value (cumulative) of reversals that Treasury sent for this GA account.	
OFFSET-AMT	IGAT-OFFSET-AMT
Total value (cumulative) of offsets that Treasury sent for this GA account.	
NON-ASGN-DATE	IGAT-NON-ASSIGN-REC- DATE
The date that the GA reason for non-assignment tape was processed.	
2ND-NON-ASN-DATE	IGAT-2ND-NON-ASGN-REC- DATE
The date that a second assignment request was sent to the GA because the GA's non-assignment reason was denied.	
AUDIT-USER-ID	IGAT-AUD-USER-ID
This is the user ED that last updated this screen	
AUDIT-DATE	IGAT-AUD-UPDATE-DATE
This is the date that the last update was made to the tracking detail record.	